

JOIN THE NYD-ERA FOR A

PATH HARRISON SHOP TOUR

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2008

The New York Division, Electric Railroaders' Association, is pleased to announce a visit to PATH's Train Shop in Harrison, NJ, on **Saturday, November 1, 2008**. We last toured these shops back in the summer of 2002 and felt that a return visit six years later would be appreciated by many of you. If lucky, we may even get to see the current PA-5 test train now on PATH property.

All attendees will meet at Newark Penn Station no later than **10:45 a.m.** that morning. More specifically, you should be at the main turnstiles that lead from the Track 1 platform onto the platform from which PATH trains depart to World Trade Center. A Division member, most likely Sid Keyles, will be there to provide you with paid access through those turnstiles. We will all board, as a group, the first car of a regular service train, which train will drop us off at the employee stop for the Harrison Shop. In anticipation of the need for security clearance for all attendees, please make certain to have a photo ID in your possession.

It is expected that the visit and tour will last approximately one to one and a half hours. One or more representatives from PATH will be our hosts to point out interesting features of the Shop and its various subdivisions. PATH currently has 327 PA-1 through PA-4 cars on its roster, the earliest dating from 1965. See how these cars are kept in good repair.

Join us for a very special visit and tour of this maintenance facility. The ticket price for the visit and tour is only **\$20.00**. **Please note that there is a capacity limit of 40 people on this tour.** Please send the form below and your money as soon as possible, as only the first 40 members responding will be accepted for this trip.

After the tour, you may opt to join us for a ride on Hudson-Bergen Light Rail from Exchange Place to Tonnel Avenue, and back via Hoboken (at your expense). For further updates and information, please call (718) 784-3643 evenings. This trip operates rain or shine.

TICKET PRICE: \$20 PER PERSON

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(718) 784-3643 evenings or
e-mail at furlong@erausa.org
for info or updates

Enclosed is: _____ for _____ tickets @ \$20.00 each
for the tour of the PATH Harrison Shop on November 1, 2008

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP _____

PHONE _____ E-MAIL _____

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \$ _____

Please enclose a **stamped return envelope** for your ticket(s). Thank you.

See other side for important information.

DEPARTURE TIMES

Please note that, for this trip, you will have to find transportation on your own to reach Newark Penn Station. To arrive there well before 10:45 am that Saturday from New York City, you will have to take a PATH train departing World Trade Center to Newark no later than 10:12 am. From 33rd Street, you will have to take a Journal Square bound train (with a connection there) no later than 9:45 am. For NJ Transit from NY Penn Station, you must depart no later than 10:14 am. If you come via PATH, you must leave the train at Newark Penn Station (i.e., you cannot stay on for the ride back towards World Trade Center).

Each attendee is responsible for being at the departure point(s) several minutes prior to the scheduled departure time. With regard to the initial departure times, you should be aware that numerous g.o.'s are frequently in effect on the subways almost every weekend and these may delay your normal trip from your home or connection to the trip departure point. It is your responsibility to check for g.o.'s and other service notices that may affect your trip beforehand, so that you can plan your arrival time with plenty of cushion to spare. There will be no ticket refunds for failure to show up on time. It is important that you adhere to announced return departure times.

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APPROPRIATE DRESS

If a trip involves walking through a rail shop or similar facility, appropriate footwear should be worn for each attendee's own safety. If a trip plan involves considerable walking, it is recommended that footwear be comfortable.